

- 8 If Margot had not been locked in the closet, she would most likely have been
- A. scared to go outside
 - B. upset her classmates do not like her
 - C. happy to see the sun
 - D. uncaring
- 9 Bradbury uses figurative language in the following quote describing the jungle on Venus: **"It was a nest of octopi clustering up great arms."** What image does he convey?
- A. There is a jungle with octopi gathered in it.
 - B. The jungle is dense and trees are wound together.
 - C. The jungle is full of nests from various animals.
 - D. The jungle is a barren wasteland of sand.
- 10 Why are the kids happy to see the sun?
- A. Because it's snowing on Venus.
 - B. Because they are going to the beach.
 - C. Because it rains a lot.
 - D. Because Margot said it's like a lemon.
- 11 How does the line, **"She was an old photograph dusted from an album"** represent the authors use of figurative language?
- A. The author appeals to our emotions.
 - B. The author tells us that she is alone.
 - C. The author appeals to our sense of sight.
 - D. The author tells us that he took a picture of her.
12. What can the reader infer from the comment Margot's classmate makes:
"It was all a joke wasn't it? Nothing. Nothing's going to happen."
- A. They don't believe the sun will come out.
 - B. They think Margot made her poem up.
 - C. They know they won't get in trouble for locking her in the closet.
 - D. They don't think they will be allowed to go outside.
- 13 The phrases, "Aw, you didn't write that!" and "What're you looking at?" are the first responses that William utters to Margot. Why does William have these reactions?
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- 14 Reread the paragraph beginning with "Margot stood apart." What does the reader learn about Margot's character? What does the author imply about Margot's character?
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